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In re application of: Hitoshi et al.

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PROLIFERATION FOR TREATMENT OF
CANCER

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE AFTER FINAL ACTION

This responds to the Final Office action dated December 27, 2007. A three-month period for reply was set, making a response due on or before March 27, 2008. It is believed that no fees are required in connection with this filing; however, the Director is authorized to charge any fees that may be required to Deposit Account No. 02-4550. Furthermore, this response is being filed on or before February 27, 2008. Thus, this response is timely filed within two months from mailing of the Office Action. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request an advisory action at an early date.

Please amend the referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 4, with a brief **Conclusion** on page 5.